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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Date: October 14, 2003

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 2, 2003 for 1 month from October 2, 2003 to November 2, 2003.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

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